

Patent claims

5. 1. A bone spreader, comprising two tubular pin holders (7) which are connected to one another by a parallel guide system (1, 4, 5) and are intended for two pins (13) to be connected to the bone parts that are to be spread apart, at least one pin holder (7) having a locking device (12, 14) for a pin (13) located therein, characterized in that the pins (13) have at least one transverse groove (14) and the locking device is composed of a locking finger (12) which is guided between a locking position and a release position in a transverse movement tangentially with respect to the pin holder (7).

10. 2. The bone spreader as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that the locking finger (12) is designed as a hook which is mounted at the open end of the pin holder (7) closer to the parallel guide system and is pivotable about an axis extending approximately parallel to said pin holder (7).

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